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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/FR2004/003376			INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE December 23, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED December 23, 2003	
TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD FOR THE INNOFORMULATION OF A BIOCOMPATIBLE GALENIC BASE					
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3.*		This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.			
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5.	\boxtimes	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))			
		a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).			
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7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))			
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8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).			
9.		An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).			
10.		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).			
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:					
11.		An Information Disclosure Stateme	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.		
12.		An assignment document for record	ding. A separate cover sheet in co	mpliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
13.		A preliminary amendment.			
14.	\boxtimes	An Application Data Sheet under 3	7 CFR 1.76.		
15.		A substitute specification.			
16.		A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.			
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.			
18.		A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			
19.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			
20.	☒	Other items or information: a copy of the International Search Report is attached hereto; Transmittal of the Annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5))			

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Sir:

Attached hereto are annexes to the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (Form PCT/IPEA/409). The attached material replaces the material in the specification at page 3, 7 and 20-22 and the claims in their entirety from pages 23-26.

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